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VIA E-FILING

The Honorable Cynthia T. Brown Chief, Section of Administration Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street, S.W., Room #100 Washington, DC 20423-0001 Office of Pro-Services

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NOTICE OF CONSUMMATION

Re: Notice of Exemption from M. P. 540.3 west of Downs to the end of the Line at M. P. 552.7 west of Portis in Osborne and Smith Counties, Kansas; Lenora Branch Line; STB Docket No. AB-33 (Sub-No. 270X)

Dear Ms. Brown:

This is to advise that in accordance with 49 CFR 1152.29(e)(2), as of May 20, 2011, the Union Pacific Railroad Company, ("UP") with regard to the subject Abandonment Exemption, has completed the salvage of the Line and the bridges thereon and hereby informs the Board that UP has consummated the abandonment of that portion of the Lenora Branch Line from Milepost 540.3 west of Downs to Milepost 552.7 west of Portis, a distance of 12.4 miles in Osborne and Smith Counties, Kansas, pursuant to authority granted in the Surface Transportation Board's ("Board's") Decision served July 28, 2008. A copy of this notice is being served concurrently with the Kansas Department of Transportation, Room 860 South, Docking State Office Building, Topeka, KS 66612.

Sincerely yours

Mack H. Shumate, Jr.

Attachment

cc: Kansas Department of Transportation

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